

VALLEY BEES MINUTES

June 2023

GENERAL MEETING OPENED

12PM

DATE 17/6/2023

MEETING CHAIRED BY:- Mark Hannon**Attendees :-** Mark ,Maree, Greg, Roberta, Vic, Bill, Lyn, Derek, Reg, Marj,**APOLOGIES:-** Pauline ,**MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MONTH:-****BUSINESS ARISING OUT OF THE MINUTES ? “ “**

Eftpos Machine still processing MRCCC to fill out form with their ABN Number

INWARD & OUTWARD CORRESPONDENCE

Replies from Stall Holders .Pauline away at QBA Conference AGM postponed until Next Month July Meeting when Pauline is back.

TREASURERS REPORT:- Moved By Bill, Seconded By Reg**REPORTS****LANDCARE :- VIC****19 Attendees:** Reg showed how to prepare Honey for the Show.

Checked all Hives because of Tree Falling on them. Mark found all Queens. Bees all have honey.

Call from Timberwah has land for people to put hives on –SEE VIC

Vic would like to acknowledge Rolly & Julie for stepping up & taking notes each Month.

Next Month we will be starting Nucs.

Vic was given a 44 Gallon drum of Sugar Syrup.

HONEYBEE FARM:- MARK

Bees busy bringing in Pollen. Didn't check Brood. Rolly brought in ideal of Honey for hive that's not strong.

Beetle quiet at the moment. Interesting stuff in the oil tray, brown wax cappings.

Maybe to warm Hive up as to where it was.

FLOW HIVE REPORT:- MARK

Flow has the same strange brown stuff in oil trap.

Flow doing well plenty of stores.

NATIVE BEES:- BILL

Native Hive in Club Box took it to Peter Velenski to check he said it needs a hotter location.

If it dies out Bill will supply a hive for Bee Open Day.

GENERAL BUSINESS:-

July Quilt & Heritage Fair at Gympie Showgrounds Valley Bees Stall Saturday & Sunday, Maree & Mark will set up & asked for help on the day.

Vic at Landcare help needed as Mark at Showgrounds

OPEN DAY

Have sent out emails to stall holders that I have emails for.

John Mason- Woodworkers wants 15 armbands. He will Check at their Meeting

Micro Bats - Offered to be a speakers List & give a talk on the Day.

Peter Velenski- Has kindly given us a beautiful wooden box for Hot uncapping knife or whatever you like to put in it, to Raffle. Thanks Pete

Lotsa Limes – Can't make it as will be at Muster

Beetle Buster – Can't make it

Roberta – Offered to make soups to sell as we need more food stalls.

Meeting Closed**Raffle won by Greg****Minutes taken by Maree Hannon**